

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

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Art Unit: 3623

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Examiner: Susanna Diaz

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METHOD OF AND SYSTEM FOR FORECASTING FUTURE ORDERS IN

PARTS INVENTORY SYSTEM

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Date: September 14, 2006

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated June 14, 2006, please amend the aboveidentified application as set forth below:

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 9.